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Application No. 09/868,664

IN THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

- 1. (Currently Amended) A computer-implemented method for creating a presentation, comprising:
 - (a) matching a profile against a simulation domain, wherein the profile comprises a set of criteria and identifies a desired aspect for a current simulation task;
 - (b) presenting information indicative of a goal:
 - (c) integrating information that motivates accomplishment of the goal;
 - (d) monitoring progress toward the goal and providing feedback that further motivates accomplishment of the goal, wherein the feedback is in accordance with the profile; and
 - (e) displaying details of the computer-implemented method and displaying the presentation as the presentation executes, wherein the presentation provides a cognitive educational experience.
- 2. (Previously Presented) The computer-implemented method for creating a presentation as recited in claim 1, including instantiating a particular feedback model based on characteristics of a target user.
- 3. (Previously Presented) The computer-implemented method for creating a presentation as recited in claim 1, including receiving and analyzing user responses using an expert system to determine details of the computer-implemented method to display.
- 4. (Previously Presented) The computer-implemented method for creating a presentation as recited in claim 1, including browsing details of an object as the presentation executes.
- 5. (Previously Presented) The computer-implemented method for creating a presentation as recited in claim 1, including displaying source code of the presentation as the presentation executes.

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- 6. (Currently Amended) The computer-implemented method for creating a presentation as recited in claim 1, including modifying the presentation based on a user indicia as the presentation executes.
- 7. (Currently Amended) The computer-implemented method for creating a presentation as recited in claim 1, including capturing portions of the presentation in response to [a] user indicia as the presentation executes.
- 8. (Currently Amended) The computer-implemented method for creating a presentation as recited in claim 1, including tailoring feedback based on [a] user indicia as the presentation executes.
- 9. (Currently Amended) The computer-implemented method for creating a presentation as recited in claim 1, including presenting a tailored simulation based on [a] user indicia as the presentation executes.
 - 10. (Currently Amended) An apparatus that creates a presentation, comprising:
 - (a) a processor that runs a computer program to create the presentation;
 - (b) a memory that stores information under control of the processor;
 - (c) logic that matches a profile against a simulation domain, wherein the profile comprises a set of criteria and identifies a desired aspect for a current simulation task;
 - (d) logic that presents information indicative of a goal;
 - (e) logic that integrates information that motivates accomplishment of the goal;
 - (f) logic that monitors progress toward the goal and provides feedback that further motivates accomplishment of the goal, wherein the feedback is in accordance with the profile; and
 - (g) logic that displays details of the computer program and that displays the presentation as the presentation executes, wherein the presentation provides a cognitive educational experience.

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- 11. (Previously Presented) The apparatus that creates a presentation as recited in claim 10, including logic that instantiates a particular feedback model based on characteristics of a target user.
- 12. (Previously Presented) The apparatus that creates a presentation as recited in claim 10, including logic that receives and analyzes user responses using an expert system to determine details of the computer program to display.
- 13. (Previously Presented) The apparatus that creates a presentation as recited in claim 10, including logic that browses details of an object as the presentation executes.
- 14. (Previously Presented) The apparatus that creates a presentation as recited in claim 10, including logic that displays source code of the presentation as the presentation executes.
- 15. (Currently Amended) The apparatus that creates a presentation as recited in claim 10, including logic that modifies the presentation based on [a] user indicia as the presentation executes.
- 16. (Currently Amended) The apparatus that creates a presentation as recited in claim 10, including logic that captures portions of the presentation in response to [a] user indicia as the presentation executes.
- 17. (Currently Amended) The apparatus that creates a presentation as recited in claim 10, including logic that tailors feedback based on [a] user indicia as the presentation executes.
- 18. (Currently Amended) The apparatus that creates a presentation as recited in claim 10, including logic that presents a tailored simulation based on [a] user indicia as the presentation executes.
- 19. (New) A computer-readable medium for creating a presentation and having computer-executable instructions to perform steps comprising:
 - (a) matching a profile against a simulation domain, wherein the profile comprises a set of criteria and identifies a desired aspect for a current simulation task;

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- (b) presenting information indicative of a goal:
- (c) integrating information that motivates accomplishment of the goal;
- (d) monitoring progress toward the goal and providing feedback that further motivates accomplishment of the goal, wherein the feedback is in accordance with the profile; and
- (e) displaying details of the computer-implemented method and displaying the presentation as the presentation executes, wherein the presentation provides a cognitive educational experience.
- 20. (New) The computer-readable medium of claim 20, containing further computer-executable instructions for:
 - (d)(i) identifying a subset of the simulation domain from at least one characteristic of the profile; and
 - (d)(ii) determining the feedback in accordance with the subset of the simulation domain.